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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q77409

Yoshiyuki TAKATA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/657,149

Group Art Unit: 1752

Confirmation No.: 1892

Examiner: Rosemary E. Ashton

Filed: September 9, 2003

For: A CHEMICAL AMPLIFICATION TYPE RESIST COMPOSITION

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 5, 2006. A Petition and payment for a one-month extension of time are attached, making this Amendment due on or before August 7, 2006 (August 5, 2006 being a Saturday).

Please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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